

BEFORE
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF
SOUTH CAROLINA
DOCKET NO. 2000-443-C - ORDER NO. 2010-741
OCTOBER 29, 2010

IN RE: Application of Zone Telecom, Inc. for a) ORDER APPROVING
 Certificate of Public Convenience and) CHANGE OF COMPANY
 Necessity to Provide Facilities-Based and) NAME
 Resold Intrastate Interexchange and Private)
 Line Telecommunications Services)

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the “Commission”) on the Application of Zone Telecom, Inc. (“Zone” or the “Company”) for approval of a name change. Zone currently holds a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide resold intrastate interexchange telecommunications services in South Carolina pursuant to the authority granted by Commission Order No. 2001-405, dated May 7, 2001.

By informational filing received October 15, 2010, Zone advises the Commission that the Company intends to change its corporate form by converting from a corporation to a limited liability company and that the Company intends to be involved in a future transaction whereby a new holding company will be created under which Zone will operate. According to the Company, on or about December 15, 2010, Zone (“Zone Telecom, Inc.”), a Delaware corporation, will be converted into Zone Telecom, LLC (“Zone LLC”), a Delaware limited liability company. Zone states that this conversion will be accomplished under Delaware law which allows an entity to change corporate form with no other legal change to the entity. According to Zone, the membership

interests in Zone LLC will initially be held by the same holding company that currently owns all of the shares of Zone, and the management of Zone LLC will be the same as that of Zone. Under the conversion, Zone asserts that the only change in the Company will be the type of entity and resulting name (“LLC” instead of “Inc.”). Further, according to Zone, the conversion will have no operational effect on Zone’s customers in South Carolina, which will continue to obtain service from, and be billed by, the same entity with the same contact information as before. Zone advises that the Company will file the appropriate amendments to its tariff reflecting the name change at the time of closing of this transaction.

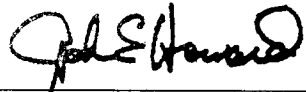
After review and consideration of Zone’s request, the Commission concludes that the request for approval of a change in the Company’s name should be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

1. The Application for approval of a change in the name of Zone Telecom, Inc. is approved, and accordingly, the Commission’s records will hereby be amended to reflect the Company’s new name of Zone Telecom, LLC.
2. The Company shall file the appropriate amendments to its tariff reflecting the name change at the time of closing of this transaction.

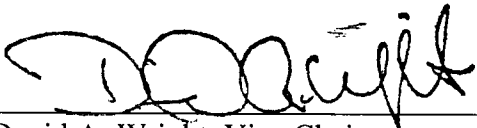
3. This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:



John E. Howard, Chairman

ATTEST:



David A. Wright, Vice Chairman
(SEAL)